It Comes Through Fire to heat Secretary Tracy's Wife and Unmarried Daughter,

Hurt Attempting to Escape.

A Maid Servant Shares Their Ter rible Fate.

Gen. Tracy Carried Unconscious from His Burning Home.

A Frightful Catastrophe of This Morning at Washington.

ISPECIAL TO THE EVENING WORLD! WARRINGTON, Feb. 3. - A most shocking catastrophe has occurred.

Shortly after 7 o'clock this morning a fire broke out in the home of Secretary Tracy, of the Navy Department. In the conflagration that followed, Mrs. moved to a place near one of the win-

Tracy, the Secretary's wife, lost her life



MRS. TRACY.

by jumping from a window, and Miss Mary Tracy, her daughter, was suffocated. A French maid was burned to death. Secretary Tracy was taken out un

conscious and lies in a critical condition. The fire was discovered by a man who chanced to pass the house and saw smoke

issuing from the windows. He rang the bell gave the alawn and tried to calm the servants, who ran wildly

about in their efforts to escape.

Every one in the house was in bed when the alarm was given.

JUMPING FROM WINDOWS.

Mrs. Wilmerding, the Secretary's marsmoke and jumped from the second-story blaze. window, front.

Ladders were raised for them, but in and was severely bruised.

Her daughter was badly injured about disaster. the lower limbs, but broke no bones.

They both suffered severely from the while others stood and gazed soberly at shock. They were taken at once to the the work of an agile force whose "preresidence of Dr. Baxter, near-by, and re- vious question " knew no dispute and storatives applied.

MRS. TRACY PATALLY HURT.

Mrs. Tracy also dropped from a second story window, soon after the alarm was the door of the Rheems residence, where given, but was not so fortunate as her Mrs. Tracy was taken after her removal

daughter and grandchild. She received internal injuries which

proved fatal an hour later. She fell upon a concrete courtyard and in all its history than it did in reaching was unconscious when first picked up, the burning house, but the fire had a big from rupture of a blood-vessel. though she regained her senses before start.

HARD WORK AND CONFUSION. house, though they responded speedily barat out. to the alarm, the lower part was all ablaze

ments being thus taken away.

It was known that members of the famly were inside, and the firemen went to work desperately, using every means to alarm, although to the watching specsubdue the fire and to rescue the im-

TARING OUT THE DEAD AND INJURED. placed at the windows.

One of the first bodies found was that Engineer Parris senseless in a hallway.

side, but without avail.



GEN. TRACY. certain peculiarities of apparel led to the identification of the body.

Another body badly burned was that of servant, a French maid named Jose

THE SECRETARY'S ESCAPE. "

Secretary Tracy himself had a most wondrous escape, and is now lying in a precarious condition at the residence of Mr. J. C. Bancroft Davis, in H street. He was overcome in his sleep by the

smoke which filled the house, and was rendered completely helpless. He was discovered in this condition, and with considerable difficulty was re-

Cries for a ladder were quickly answered and many willing hands were raised to assist him to the ground.

He was removed to a neighbor's house and was soon surrounded by physicians. who found him to be suffering from asphyxia.

The doctors applied artificial means to nduce respiration and succeeded, after an hour's work, in restoring him to semi-consciousness.

It was then deemed safe to take him to his present resting-place.

By this time the crowd about the burnportions and the wildest stories had pread all over the city.

Secretary Tracy was time and again reported dead, and time and again the re. jumped from bed and ran to the window, beauty, fact and accomplishments emiport was contradicted as soon as started.

THE PRESIDENT COMES. Morton, hearing early of the catastrophe, diately dropped to the courtyard below." were with Secretary Tracy soon after the

latter regained partial consciousness. The sufferer asked piteously for news of his family, but it was not deemed safe for the reception of the dead and dying. then to tell him the full extent of his ca-

There is as yet nothing certainly known as to the origin of the fire.

The theory is that it started from the furnace, in Secretary Tracy's house, or ried daughter, and her child, Alice, in Judge Cox's, adjoining, the latter resiforced their way through the blinding dence being speedily included in the

Prominent among the people who their excitement they failed to see them. thronged to the scene of the fire were Mrs. Wilmerding broke her left wrist Senators and Representatives, who hurried thither upon the first news of the

Some of them found useful work to do, who stood upon no special order or mode of progression.

Senator Chandler stationed himself at from the house.

THE PIRE HAR A GREAT START. No. 1 Company never made better time from suffocation.

It is supposed to have been burning quietly for a long time and to have got total rule. By the time the firemen reached the into all the floors and partitions before it. The wells and heavy timbers of the

Mrs. and Miss Wilmsrding were seen to fully wrecked. and the sain statement was torseed, that come to the window in front, and, in The Secretary had recently purchased Beecher trial. In 1000 Gen. Tracy was

made their terrible loap to the ground.

ONE SERVANT'S RESCUE. Truck B arrived very soon after the

Assistant Chief Louis P. Lowe at once went to the rear, where a woman, pre-Ingress to the burning house was ob- sumably one of the servants, was waving tained at the rear, by means of ladders a blanket to keep the flames and smoke away from her.

She was up under the Mansard roof, of Miss Tracy, who was found by Chief and behaved with a good deal of coolness. She was ordered not to jump, and she She had been suffocated by smoke and did not, being rescued later with a lad-

She was taken out tenderly through a By this time Chief Parris arrived, and, neighbor's house and down a ladder, and learning that there were people still in the arrangements to his subordinates and The features were unrecognizable, but dashed into the burning house.

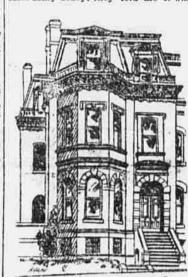
> RESCUING THE SICRETARY. The Chief tells his story of the scene in

"I felt my way through the smoke to the second floor, and found a man in ped in a room. I tried to pick him up, but

he was almost too heavy. "I managed to drag him into a back room, where there was more air, and then broke the window out and called to Lowe, who was in the alley, to run up a ladder. Then they took the man out, and it

proved to be the Secretary. MISS TRACY PRIGHTFULLY BURNED.

"Then I went back into the smoke and fire again and found a young lady-Miss Mary Tracy, they told me it was-



THE TRACY RESIDENCE.

and as I caught hold of her wrists to life flesh came off her burning

"I got her out, but she was dead. The

exhausted me. I could do no more." MRS. TRACY'S PATAL PLUNGE.

teenth street runs back to the rear of the ng house had grown to enormous pro- Secretary's house, gave a graphic account of the terrible death of Mrs. Tracy.

> " I heard heart-rending screams," said he, "about 7.15 this morning, and

" Mrs. Tracy was hanging from the nently fitted her for the positions she was sill of a window on the second floor. President Harrison and Vice-President She was screaming and almost imme-

> MR. RHERMS'S HOUSE A HOSPITAL. Mr. Rheems's house, itself almost swallowed up by the fire, was thrown open Mrs Tracy, still alive, was brought in

lamity, and he was persuaded into a quiet by a couple of firemen and was placed on a sofa in the dining-room.

Here she lingered for about an hour. fully conscious and apparently suffering but little.

It was a little after 8 o'clock when she spat a little blood, hardly enough to be termed hemorrhage, closed her eyes, and leaving the Owego Academy he entered without a moan, ceased to breathe.

The family cook, scorched and blackened but not seriously injured, was the to the Bar and soon made a mark in his next brought in.

Secretary Tracy was the third sufferer to be sheltered under Mr. Rheems's

kitchen, whither he was taken through office. the alley. Drs. Carr, May and ex-Surgeon-General

istration be improved considerably. CAUSES OF DEATH.

At the undertaker's shop, where Mrs. Tracy's kody and her daughter's were He was carried from the field exhausted. taken. Dr. Ruth made a hurried examination and found the daughter had died Mrs. Tracy was found to have died

THE RESIDENCE A BUILD

The residence of Secretary Tracy is a floors stand, but everything else is fright-

means of escape from the sleeping apart spite of the warnings not to jump, they the house and had furnished it through- made United States District-Attorney for out in the richest manner.

The loss will approximate \$50,000, partly insured. WANTED MR. TRACY AT THE WRITE BUCKE.

to the residence of Judge Bancroft Davis, and Bravado, by Kentucky Wilkes. At last accounts he was resting com-

GEN, TRACT HEARS OF HIS LOSS LATER, -Gen, Tracy now knows of his

gence to him as soon as the Secretary President Cleveland. roused from the siumber into which he the best medical help was instantly at her house, he left the fire extinguishing fell after his removal to the Davis resi-

> The blow was a fearful one and the suf | soon one of the most popular houses in ferer almost succumbed.

He rallied slightly, however, after a few momenta. The President has given up his intended to the mansard.

trip to New York to attend the Judiciary Centennial.

At 2.3) Gen. Tracy was again sleeping under the influence of opiates. The bodies of Mrs. and Miss Tracy will be taken to the White House this after-

The Dead Wife and Daughter. Mrs. Tracy was the sister of Gen. Isaac S. Catlin, the distinguished Brooklyn increased by an extension built under lawyer, and ber maiden name was De-

linda E. Catlin.

She was a woman of pleasing appearance, of fair complexion, with blue eyes and light bair. She was an earnest and willing worker in the Episcopal Church, ready at all

times to devote herself to the church interests, but at the same time she was fond of society and one of the most agree able of women, either as guest or host. She was cultured and extremely fond of Gen. Tracy himself spoke of her fondly

nd proudly as "an excellent woman and vife, and a good mother." Mrs. Tracy's family included, besides her husband and herself, three children and a grandchild, the last-mentioned being Alice Tracy Wilmerding, the

appalling news. "I won't believe it. I twelve-year-old daughter of the Secrewon't believe it!" he kept repeating. tary's eldest daughter, Mrs. Emma L. Wilmerding. The other children were Frank B. Tracy, who remained in Frecklyn when the family moved to Washington, and Miss Mary Farrington Tracy, the daughter

who shared the mother's terrible fate. At the time Gen. Tracy went to Wash. ington, Miss Mary was sick and Mrs. Tracy remained for a time in Brooklyn. giving her daughter the benefit of her

ender motherly care. Miss Mary was like her mother in ap-

pearance and had the same pleasant and cheerful ways. She had a host of friends in Brooklyn,

who were full of regret at her departure cheeks. for the capital and who will feel deeply her distressing fate. Miss Mary was a gifted artist, and spent three years at Paris under the tuition of

the great French painter, Charles Char plain. Mrs. Tracy had been something of an invalid for the last few years, and, though she had appeared in society at times. the burden of her social duties fell principally upon Mrs. Wilmerding, whose

thus called upon to fill. Mrs. Tracy's own people, the Catlins, descended in a direct line from Capt. Daniel Broadhead, who served in 1664 with Gov. Nichols, under the Duke of York, against the Dutch in America, and

afterwards settled in Ulster County. The Tracys are of New England extrac tion, and boast ancestors of Revolutionary

fame and valor. Mrs. Wilmerding's husband, who died sixteen months after the marriage, was

of Knickerbocker descent. The Bereaved Secretary.

Gen. Benjamin F. Tracy is about fifty nine years old. He was born in Owego, N. Y., and secured his education in the common school of his native town. After the law office of Nathaniel W. Davis where he remained engaged in the study

of law until 1851, when he was admitted

profession In 1853 he became the Republican can didate for District-Attorney of Tiogra County, and though it was a Democratic stronghold he was elected. Two years He was placed on mattresses in the clater he was again elected to the same

He was elected to the Assembly in 1861, and a year later he recruited the One Hundred and Ninth and One Hundred Wales attended him, and under their min- and Thirty-seventh regiments and received his commission as Colonel of the former regiment from Gov. Morgan. In the battle of the Wilderness, May 6

Col. Tracy led in the thick of the fight. but refused to go to a hospital, but led his command through the three days' fight at Spotsylvania, when, being completely broken down, he was forced to turn over his command to his junior officer. He subsequently was tendered and accepted the command of the One Hundred and Twenty-seventh Unitep States colored troops. After the war Gen. Tracy settled in

New York and resumed his practice of

the law as one of the firm of Benedict,

Trucy & Benedict. He was one of the

counsel for the defense in the celebrated

the Eastern District of New York, which position te held until 1873, when he was forced to resign because of the growth of his private practice.

Gen. Tracy is a well-known breeder of The President saked that Secretary trotters, and owned the Marshland stud. Tracy be taken to the White House, but at Apalachin, Tioga County, N. Y., where was thought best not to move him so Woodford. Mambrino record 2.19%; he had as stallions Mambrino Dudley, by far, and he was taken around the corner Cheltenham, by Oxmore, record 2.28, Gen. Tracy also owned Kentucky Wilkes, by George Wilkes, record 2, 21 14

The Burned House. The house which was the scene of th s morning's terrible calamity was that at 1634 I street, formerly occupied by Don President Harrison gave the sad intelli- M. Dickinson, Postmaster-General under

It was south of Farragut Square, upon which it had an attractive lookout. Secretary Tracy had it carefully rear

ranged and refitted, and it became very the Cabinet circle. It was two stories in height, with a basement and a mansard roof.

A bay window ran from the basement On the south side a flight of steps ran

up to the ball through which entrance was gained to the front drawing, room. The back drawing-room had a pleasant bay-window and great fireplace. The fively proportioned dining room

was in the rear of the drawing, room. All the wood work of the interior was in black walnut. The sleeping chambers were above and

Gen. Tracy's orders. Grief of Gen. and Mrs. Catlin. There was a very affecting scene in the Isaac J. Catlin, at 26 Court street, when

the bedroom capacity had been somewnat

the news was broken to the latter this morning. Soon after the catastrophe occurred a despatch was sent to the General saying Sixth National Bank solvent. that the Tracy residence had been burned and that Mrs. Wilmerding's child had perished in the flames and that the General had been taken out unconscious.

Mrs. Wilmerding, who is the General's oldest daughter, and Mrs. Tracy had been rescued, according to the despatch. 'I cen't believe it," mouned Gen. Catlin, covering his face with his hands as if ness to-morrow morning at 10 o'clock. bewildered at the suddenness of the

Next came a despatch saying that Gen. Tracy and Miss Tracy were both dead. and that two other unknown bodies had payments at the opening of banking been taken out of the rains. hours this morning. "Oh, this is awful!" mouned Gen. Cat-

When she arrived he was sobbing like a child. Three or four men stood about trying to comfort him. "Why, papa!" she cried, calling him by the pet name used in the family which was in charge of ex-United States circle. "What can be the trouble?"

She went up to him, caressed his brow and wiped away the tears that were the direction of the Attorney General, streaming down the strong man's rugged and so they had to weit outside in the "Bear up," he said to his wife, " it is

awful news. "What is it? Tell me quick," she replied.

been burned to death," replied the "Oh," cried Mrs. Catlin, pressing her

hand over her heart as though stricken first be decided. There is no question with pain. Just then Major Convin came and said enough. that the sad report was confirmed by later

despatches, and the grief of Mr. and Mrs. Catlin was pitiful to witness. Every one withdrew softly and

Mrs. Catlin is Mrs. Secretary Tracy's sister, Gen. Catlin and Secretary Tracy having married sisters.

THE SENATE ADJOURNS.

Members of the Cab net.

SHERCIAL TO THE EVENING WORLD. | SHEROTOR, Feb. 3. Out of respect

cretaries Blane and Tracy, the former be-

t of his eidest daughter. Ars. Copping I the latter suffering from the double wement of this morning. The Senate rned after approving the journal.

THE STATE K. OF L.

A New York City Delegate Elected

r districts.

J. Sullivan, of District No. 233 (Build-of New York City), was chosen Chair-a, and Joseph R. Mansoon, of No. 48 by Neovetars.

Press Committee was appointed and see taken.

Chairman To-Day.

fargetar TO THE SYENING WORLD.

Mrs. Tracy and her daughters members of St. Anne's Protestant Episcopal Church in Clinton street,

Gen. Tracy and his wife removed from Owego to Brooklyn in 1865, and until last nev General stating that he was now only acting as an officer of the Court and could admit no one except on the order of the proper official. Fall lived at 148 Montague street. They gave up that house shortly after the General's appointment as Secretary of the PLEADED TO OPEN THE BANK. Navy, and removed to Washington.

A Token of Respect to Two Bereaved

again and drove away. Meanwhile President Tallman and Director S. F. Meyer, who had arrived at

growing larger and arger all the time President Jordan made his second ap-

The crowd was shoved back by the po-bremen on darfy while the bank Pres dent and the Examiner held another consulta-tion for the product was evidently very Twoy, Feb. 3. - The State Convention of 1 Knights of Labor assembled here to-day with representatives from such of the fortytion. Mr. Jurdan was evidently very unch per out by what had occurred and showed it in his namer. As he stood in front of the wire door State Bank Examiner Cahicl, who investi-gated the Equitable, came up add spoke AN OATH AND A THREAT.

Mr. Jordan retorted and then Mr. Cabill got very red in the face.

it." he said, tiercely shaking his facer in President Jordan's face. I'll bring an action against you for

The many uses of India Rubber is currocary alumbrated by a late invention made of this material, a true shoe postent called Sarry a which is self-poiseling, makes a beautiful deep, soft, black posted, and being made of rubber it will not crack, up fact, preserves the leather it to perfectly water fact, preserves the leather it to perfectly water and the contract of the contract o was no femars made by Mr. Jordan was noisoly could find out. The two nen walked up the airest a half a block and continued to talk and gesticulate extitedly, but finally they cooled down, and Mr. Jordan west away again in his cab.

The drove directly to the store of Park nderful invention and in described to work a surject to shap policibing. Manufactured by the matrix Manufacture Compart. Office Inc. Basers Compart.

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GOOD-BYE, LEAGUE GROUNDS.

He Buys Back His Stock in

the 6th National Bank. Reorganization with Leland and

President Tappen Planks Down \$280,000 for the Syndicate.

to Reopen the Equitable.

Tappen in the Directorate.

Riotous Gathering of Capositors to dispose of this territory, and the rail-Outside the Lenox Hill.

A meeting of the stockholders of the Sixth National Bank was held uptown indemnity for the expense incurred in early this afternoon, at which the directory of that institution was completely reorganized.

It was announced that ex-President Leland had bought back all his 1,035 could be forced to vacate their present shares of stock which he had sold to Claassen and his associates and was ready to reassume the control of the bank. In making this announcement U. S.

Bank Examiner Hepburn said he had just received from President Frederick D. New York Club for the grounds was office of Gen. Tracy's law partner, Gen. Tappen, of the Gallatin Bank, on behalf of the syndicate, Mr. Tappen's check for #280,000. This, in addition to Mr. Leland's

\$500,000, Mr. Hepburn said, made the The new Board of Directors chosen consists of Frederick D. Tappen, Charles ford; John D. Quinlan and Mr. Landon. Mr. Leland was elected President, and it was announced that permission had been obtained from the U.S. Comptroller authorizing the bank to resume its busi-

There are, it is said, funds at the command of the bank at the present time sufficient to pay every obligation to depositors in full. The Equitable Bank did not resume

All the clerks were on hand before 10 lin. He sent a messenger for his wife. o'clock. The cashier was with them. ready to go on and open the bank if Superintendent Preston should give the They could not get into the bank, Bank Examiner, William Trenholm, who

is now in charge of the concern under

Just before 10 Cashier Smith, of the Western National Bank, drove up in a cab and held a brief whispered consultation with Examiner Trenholm through the with Examiner Trenholm through the company, to the new grounds.

The officers and directors of the Club extends of the company to the new grounds.

When he was asked if the bank would opened to-day, he replied:

'That is a question of law which must the decided. There is no question of the team, which is to date as follows:

Catcher:, Paul Cack, Con Daily, Thomas Kinsiow, John Rayes; pitched the decided. There is no question or a Weyhinz. Connie Muratever about there being funds ough."

Is then drove off in his cab and deeper out the decided upon the little anxious on settled upon the little anxious on settled upon the little anxious appendix the decided would say was:

It that Mr. Trenholm would say was:

offered bin by the Club by letter and telegraph and a contact has been sent to him. be opened to-day, he replied: whatever about there being funds

He then drove off in his cab and deeper group on the sidewalk.

All that Mr. Trenholm would say was:
"If the money comes here to-day and
State Superintendent of Banks Preston says the bank can open, I will unlock the

JORDAN REPUSED ADMISSION. Just before 11 o'clock President Jordan Geu. Cathin will start for Washington at once.

Frank Tracy, the Secretary's son, is in Brooklyn, but just where he didn't know.

Frank Tracy the Secretary's son, is in Brooklyn, but just where he didn't know.

In fact, he was prepared to open the bank then and there. When he asked Examiner Trenbolm to open the doors of the bank and let hin: in, the latter in-quired for his authority from the Attor-

Mr. Jordan seemed very much discon-creed at this, and insisted that he should be allowed to open the bank at once. Examiner Trenholm, however, could not be moved by entresties, and after a short conference, which was conducted in whispers. Mr. Joedan got into his cabestine of the conference of the confere whispers.

Director S. F. Meyer, who had arrived at the scene about the same time with Mr. Jerdan, having probably received the tip that he was going to make maters straight, became very instignant when they harmed the result of the interview with Mr. Trembolm.

While the crow ion the sidewalk was

What the remark made by Mr. Jordan

The New York League Baseball grounds most co.

Mr. James J. Coogan, the owner of the grounds and of the territory adjacent to them, will lease that part of the ground's lying between One Hundred and Fifty-fifth and One Hundred and Fifty-seventh streets, from President Jordan Refused Admission the Harlem River to the bluff, to the New York and New England Railroad Company for a term of ninety-nine years.

Mr. Coogan has for some time desired road company, it is said, has offered terms most advantageous to him.

Mr. Coogan said this morning that he

had made an offer to Mr. Day of \$20,000

fitting up the grounds. This afternoon Mr. Day said that he did not see how the New York League Club grounds, as the lease covers one more attended the races at Clifton to-day. year, but he admitted receiving the offer The ruling off of Drumstick at the "Gut" mentioned by Mr. Coogan, and it was on Saturday was freely discussed, and the said by other parties that the lease of the

merely a provisional one, subject to certain contingencies.

The importance of this act of Mr. Coogan is ma fied by the fact that the Players' League Club, having grounds just north of the affected plot, will be left in untraumelled possession, while the old Leaguers must look elsewhere.

Whitehead, of Guttenburg, has met with a said affection in the loss of his wife, who clied yesterday.

The Association has caused the Old Dominion Stakes, for all ages, to be run on Washington's Birthday. The distance is three miles, with 61,000 added money.

The racing to-day was very good, but the heavy track was somewhat of a drawback. Neptums, fresh from his numerous victories at the "turk was backed for a good thing for the first race, but like many other cinches," it did n.4 go through, Feril being the horse to prevent it.

Puzzle, however, helped the talent somewhat by winning the second race, after being backed down to 6 to 8. H. Leland, Joseph Park, of Park & Til. affected plot, will be left in un-

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Annual Meeting and Election of the Brooklyn Players' Club.

first annual business meeting this morning at the office of Mr. Wendell Goodwin, in the Mills Building.

suing year: President, Wendell Goodwn; Vice-President, E. F. Linton; Treasurer, G. W. hauncey; Secretary, G. H. Wirth.
John M. Ward was officially appointed antain and manager of the nine.
The following gentlemen were elected to erve as directors:
John Wallace, E. F. Linton, George W.
Chauncey, G. H. Wirth, John M. Ward and
Mr. Robinsen.

raph, and a contract has been sent to his

FRANK BANCROFT RESIGNS. Full of Righteous Indignation at the Worcester Sale.

SPECIAL TO THE EVENING WORLD. Spainoristic, Mass., Feb. 3.—President Bancroft, of the New England Baseball ague, has resigned. This is the result of his indignation over ie sale of the Worcester franchise. He left this afternoon for New York, where e will negotiate with Ward for the control all exhibition games by Players League ubs to New England.

BANKER DITMAN'S DEATH.

A Coroner's Jury Decides It Was

Due to Accident. PRICIAL TO THE EVENING WORLD. PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 3,-The circumstat Ditman, of the Quaker City National flank, whose body was found floating in the Schuylkill River on the afternoon of vere inquired into by a Cotoner fury to-day.

Dr. Forman, Coroner's physician, expressed his opinion that it was a case of suicide, but the fury decided that Mr. Ditman came to his death by accident.

MISS MANOLA CAN SING.

tion Until Wednesday. Lancey Nicoli, comusel for Mari

Judge O'Brien Withholds the Injunc

Manoia, applied to Judge O'Brien to-lay alnot by Col. McCauli, restraining her "The Gondollers" for Chicago

Cur acc. Feb. 2. - "The Gondollers" will be presented here for the first time at the Grand Opera-House to-morrow night. The costumes are elegant, and a new American commons are engant, and a new American combany will produce the opera. The pro-duction will be entirely different from that given in New York, and the critics who were at the dress reheavest to-day predict a de-cided hit. The opera as rendered by the American Company is full of life from start to duish, and there is not a single moment that could be called dull.

The New York and New England AUTOCRAT

Won the Padishah Handicap Easily by a Length.

FAVORITES IN BETTER FORM.

Peril, a 7 to 1 Shot, Defeated the

(SPECIAL TO THE EVENING WORLD]
CLIFTON RACE TRACE, Feb. 3. —The weather

cleared off nicely, and an immense crowd

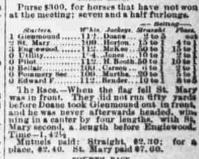
general opinion is that they got their de-News was received here that Secretary Whitehead, of Guttenburg, has met with a



dropped, with Ferli in front and are left at the post. Perli made all the rus and won by a length and a half, with tunus second, two lengths before Cristo. Time—1.42%,
Mutuels paid: Straight, \$11.40;
place, \$4.60. Neptunus paid \$3.40.

Purse \$200, for horses that at the meeting; seven and a be

THIRD BACE.



FOURTH BACK. Parse \$500; the Padishah Handicap; one

Parse \$300, for all ages; six and a half

Saluda, Lottery, Freich, 11 to 5 4 to 5
Saluda, Lottery, Freich, Nellie Booker
co.t. Jim Murphy and Einstone also ran.
The Bace.—Bradford made searly all the
running to the head of the streken, when
firmald came with a rush and won by a
length and a halt.
Bradford was recond, eight lengths before Rosciusko Kay. Vime.—1 28.
Matuels paid: Straight, 65, 30; for a
place, \$3, 10. Bradford paid \$4, 25.

Too Much of a Good Thing. HUTCHINSON, East., Feb. 2. - Fetitiona signed by thousands of tarmers of Eastean are being drawn up and will be sent to the are being drawn up and will do sent to the managers of the leading suffices. The petitioners say that it state of the inet that their granaries are filled to unching son, of they are in the initial of great firmienal deprecion owing to the low rate of reasons the present rates of transportation in order that the cross may be taken from the granaries and snipped at a small pro-it.

Jockey Stone started for Sing Sing shortly

One Suffocated, the Other Fatally

Favorita, Neptunus.

The Race.—There was a long delay at the post, cancel by Traveller, Manhattan and Peril cutting np. The flag was finally dropped, with Peril in front and Traveller

Jockey Stone Off for Sing Sing.

Vound & Sarato Come Discrete Petitota lirymor, of Raymond Street Juli. Some of most piles-one for threet troobles. Orogrets."," his friends saw him off.